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PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated September 27, 2006, said period of response being extended from December 27, 2006 to February 27, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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